EANS Funding

To Support Students in Ohio

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Catapult Learning

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We create brighter futures for students,
regardless of the learning barriers or other challenges they face.

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Impact for Life

Catapult Learning

Instruction & Professional Development

Provide supplemental instruction and counselling in public and non-public schools to struggling students, as well as training and coaching for teachers and administrators

Specialized Education Services, Inc.

Special & Alternative Education Programs

Operate standalone schools and manage public school classrooms (IDCs) that serve students with special needs and students who have been suspended or expelled

Little Leaves Behavioral Services

ABA Programs

Provide Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) therapy programs for young children with Autism Spectrum Disorders; operated in a preschool-like setting

National Reach: *School Year 2020-2021*

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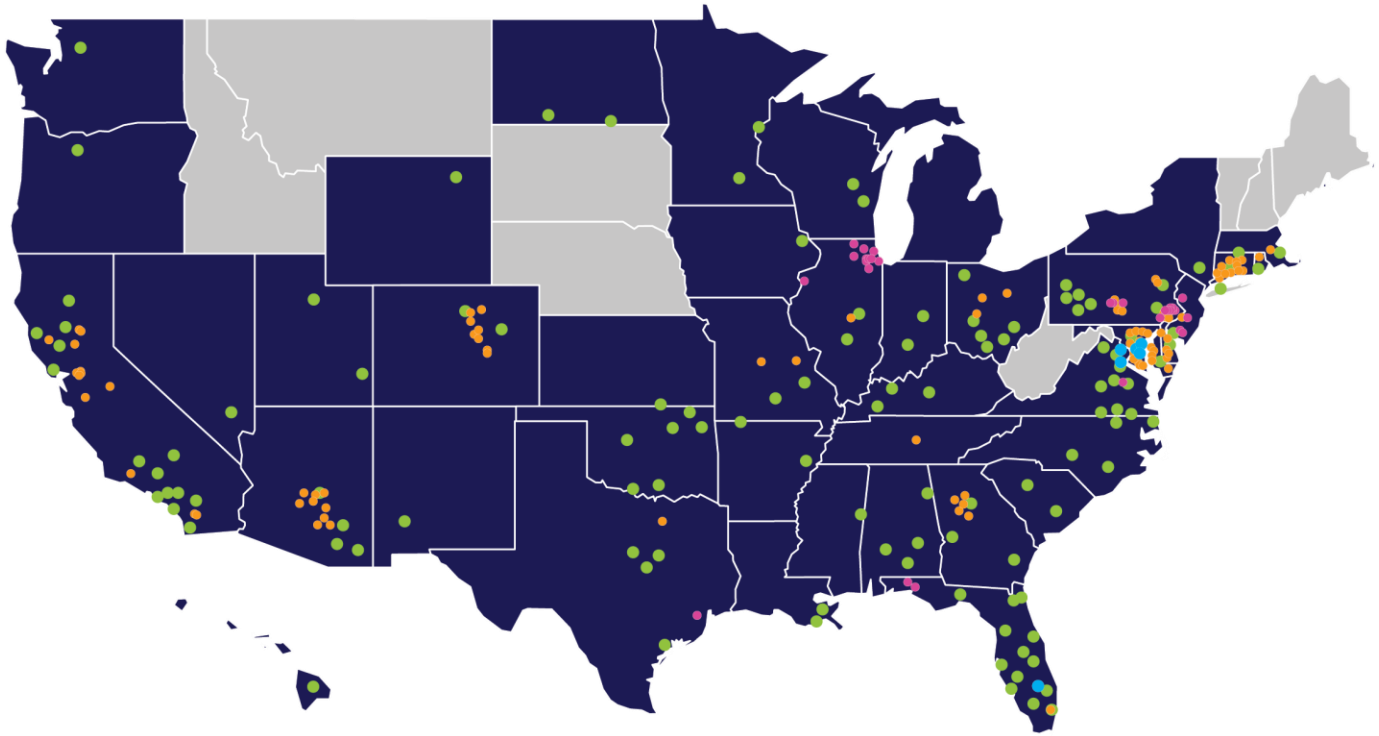


Serving the Ohio Nonpublic School Community since 1999

Catapult Learning is experienced in providing customized, coordinated programs that maintain high performance while meeting schools' individual needs while maximizing multiple funding streams including:

- Federal Title I-IV
- IDEA programs
- Ohio Auxiliary Service Funds
- Jon Peterson Scholarship Program

With our local team of experts, Catapult Learning implements programs that result in sustainable achievement for all Ohio students via:

- Reading & Math Intervention
- Supplemental STEM
- Professional Development
- Guidance Counseling, Speech, Psychology & Nursing

Catapult Learning is currently working with over 30 nonpublic schools in Ohio, serving over 1,000 students.

Supporting Ohio Students

Providing Intervention Services to Youth from Low-income Communities

LEA Title I Partnership example – *Dayton Public Schools 2019-2020*

- Literacy, reading and math instructional services provided in 12 nonpublic schools serving 545 students
- In person services provided 2 to 3 days a week based on student need
  - Remote services began in April
- Program also includes
  - Progress monitoring
  - Parent orientation meetings
  - Teacher conferences
  - Classroom observations
  - Principal meetings

Providing Services to Students in Need

For 45 years, Catapult Learning has partnered with schools & LEAs across the county to provide Title I Services

SY 2019- 2020 Sample of LEA(s)	Students receiving Math & Reading Instruction and/or Counseling Services
Chicago	2,104
Miami-Dade County	3,517
Milwaukee	4,189
Philadelphia	5,239
New Orleans Orleans & Jefferson Parishes	2,499
*New York City	11,718 *SY 20-21, serving over 14,000 students to date*

COVID Relief Package

Emergency Assistance for Non-Public Schools (EANS)

Federal Relief Funding for K-12 has Increased in each Recovery Package

CARES Act

March 2020

- $13.3B for Elementary & Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER I)
- $3.0B for Governors' Emergency Education Fund (GEER)

CRRSA Act

Dec 2020

- $54.3B for ESSER II
- $2.75B for Emergency Assistance for Non-public Schools

American Rescue Plan

March 2021

- $122B for ESSER III, including funding for state-directed programs
- $2.6B additional for IDEA, Part B
- $2.75B added to EANS

Private School Set-aside—CRRSA EANS

- Funds for EANS are sent from US DoED to state educational agency (SEA) based on the count of private school students who are at or below 185% of poverty (per Census American Community Survey data)
- Every private school is eligible to apply for EANS—provided the school has NOT received the second round of Payroll Protection Program (PPP) funds
- The SEA can contract with a third-party provider to deliver services
- All private school students are eligible, but SEAs "shall" target low-income students and areas "highly impacted" by COVID. It is up to each SEA to determine how the targeting will work

Use of Funds: CRRSA EANS services & assistance must address educational disruptions resulting from COVID-19

- Supplies to sanitize facilities, PPE, improving ventilation, training staff for COVID safety, physical barrier for social distancing, materials for public health protocols, increasing capacity for testing & tracing
- Reimbursements for certain expenses since the beginning of the pandemic
- Educational technology

- Developing instructional plans, including curriculum development, for remote or hybrid learning to address learning loss
- Initiating and maintaining education and support services or assistance for remote or hybrid learning to to address learning loss

Ohio CRRSA EANS Timeline

Notice Distribution
- ODE received on February 8th an award of $154,896,274

Applications
- ODE posted school allotments on 4/5

Approach
- ODE plans to contract with ESCs to provide services and assistance to schools

Obligation
- ODE must obligate EANS funds by ~August 8th

Spending
- Funds must be spent by September 30, 2023

Excerpt from ODE's EANS Frequently Asked Questions

Found on ODE website

EANS Services and Assistance

How will our nonpublic school receive services and assistance?

The Ohio Department of Education plans to contract with Education Service Centers (ESCs) to provide services and assistance to nonpublic schools that received an EANS final service amount.

The Department is hopeful to have contracts signed with the ESCs to carry out the requirements of this program on behalf of the state and provide services to the nonpublic districts by early May but no later than August 1, 2021. Once the Department and ESCs have established contracts, the ESCs taking part in this program on behalf of the Department to provide services will reach out to the nonpublic directly for an initial consultation. The consultation between the ESCs and the nonpublic schools will determine the allowable services and assistance, and method and manner of the delivery of the services to be provided prior to September 30, 2023. The services rendered must not exceed the EANS final service amount for the school.

The ESC shall refer to the nonpublic school's EANS application and supporting documentation provided during consultation with the nonpublic school to determine allowable services and assistance. After consultation, the ESC will determine the method, manner and process for providing allowable services and assistance to the nonpublic school.

Suggested Next Steps

- Nonpublic schools and ESCs - reach out to each other to schedule the consultation process

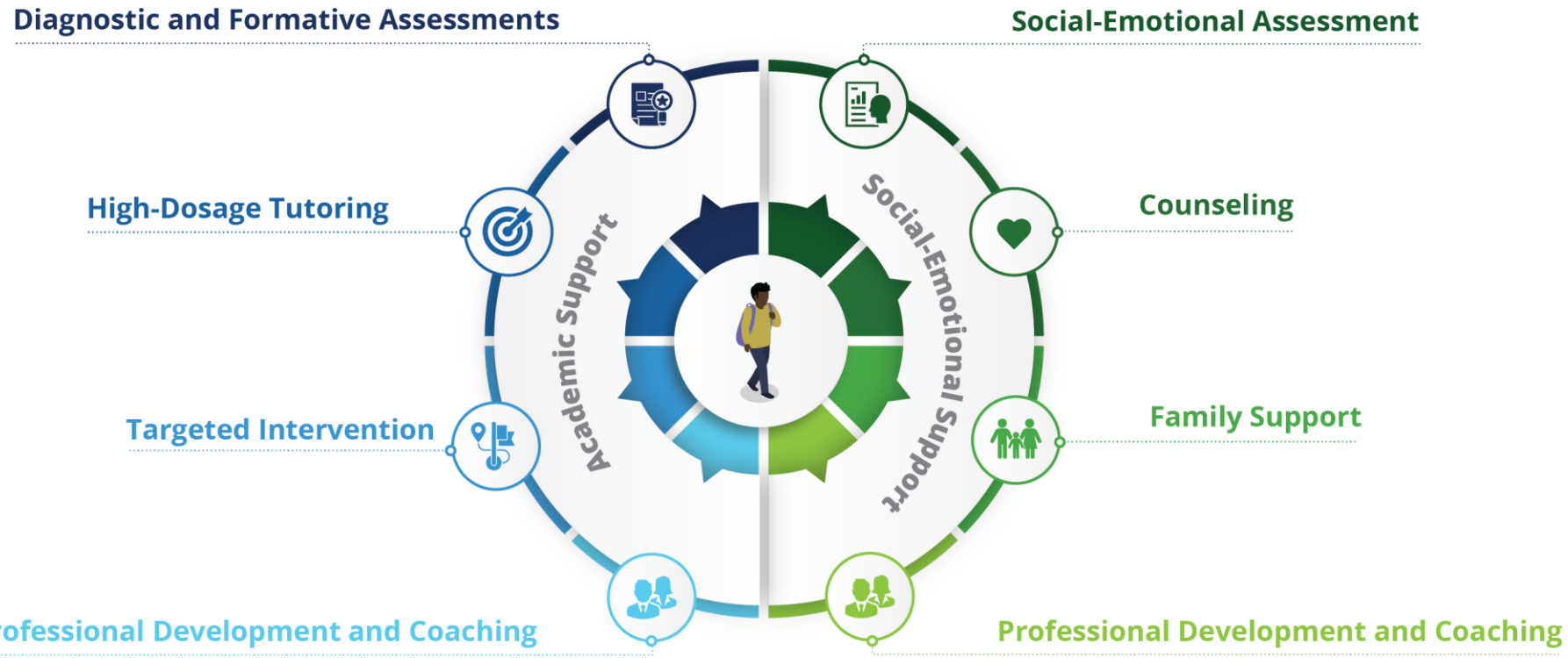
- Nonpublic schools – reach out to providers to begin planning programming

COVID Recovery & Support Services

COVID Recovery Program

Anytime, Anywhere Approach to Implementation

We can deliver virtual, onsite, or hybrid services that support your school community now, this summer, and throughout the 2021-2022 school year.



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